

NEWS BRIEFS

Cost Of Living

Allowance reduction chart

The COLA reduction chart has been posted to the intranet Web site on the right hand side, third from bottom. The 17 percent reduction will take place in the October, November timeframe. The information allows Airmen to plan for the reduction in their budgets.

Legal Readiness

Program Moratorium

Pacific Air Forces has imposed a moratorium on the Legal Readiness Program for all non-deploying members at bases in Korea. A modified program will still stay intact for members who are deploying off the peninsula. Direct questions to the civil law section of the legal office at 782-4283.

Cultural Tour

Public Affairs is offering Airmen the chance to see various cultural locations in Jeon Ju City Aug. 30. The tour showtime is 8:45 a.m. and the anticipated return to base time is 5:20 p.m. The attire is casual, but conservative and professional. Seats must be reserved no later than Aug. 22.

For more information and to sign up, e-mail Rosmary Song at SongAe.Song.kr@kunsan.af.mil

Hummer H3 give away

Two Hummer H3s are being given away to show Air Force Clubs' appreciation to its members. All new members who sign up for club membership during the annual membership drive from Sept. 1 through Nov. 31 are eligible to win one of the H3 Hummers. The second H3 will be given away to someone who was a member as of Aug. 31.



Photo by Tech. Sgt. Jeffrey Allen

A Juvat pilot fires one of the first air-to-air missiles launched by a Korean based F-16 Wednesday.

Wolf Pack shoots live air-to-air missiles

Juvats implement weapon system evaluation program on peninsula, shoot live air-to-air missiles for first time in Korea

By Capt. J.P. Lage
Wolf Pack Public Affairs

An experienced chase pilot from the 80th Fighter Squadron was a driving force behind a weapon system evaluation program implemented here.

Lt. Col. Dan Tippet, 80th FS director of operations, spearheaded the initiative to shoot live, heat-seeking AIM-9 Sidewinder missiles in order to evaluate fighter assets in South Korea.

For the first time in the history of 7th Air Force in Korea, Wolf Pack pilots employed the sidewinder missiles here Wednesday, using the call "Fox 2."

"Typically the way a unit does this is they will deploy to a program called Weapon System Evaluation Program or WSEP," Lt. Col. Al Wimmer, 80th FS commander, said about Combat Archer conducted at Tyndall Air Force Base in Fla.

Col. Tippet said, "The significance of this event is three-

fold. First, due to logistics issues and fiscal constraints in PACAF, ROK-assigned jets don't have the opportunity to deploy back to the U.S. for Combat Archer. As a result, we have no ability to verify the integrity of our air-to-air weapon systems here. This missile shoot program gives us the ability to test our systems."

The purpose of the programs is to, "evaluate the man, the machine and the weapon to see how well we're doing and whether we are ready to go into combat," Col. Wimmer said.

"The jets in this squadron have never in their lifetime been able to deploy to WSEP because of obligations here in the 7th Air Force theater of operations," the colonel said.

"This program also gives my fighter pilots the experience of actually employing an air-to-air missile, which also occurs primarily at Combat Archer. Without such an experience, the first time a pilot fires a live missile would be in combat. Accomplishing this in a training environment first alleviates any surprises and/or anxiety of shooting an actual missile," Col. Tippet said.

Every fighter squadron in 7th Air Force participated in the week's historic flying, "four aircraft from the 80th FS, four...from the 35th FS, four...from the A-10 squadron at Osan...the 25th FS, and four...from the 36th FS...the F-16 squadron at Osan," Col. Wimmer said. "With the 51st wing this is a cooperative effort between

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 Saturday
Hi/Low
88/73
P.M. T-Storms

 Sunday
Hi/Low
88/74
Scattered T-Storms

 Monday
Hi/Low
89/74
Scattered T-Storms

 Tuesday
Hi/Low
88/77
Scattered T-Storms

 Wednesday
Hi/Low
90/76
Scattered T-Storms

 Thursday
Hi/Low
87/75
Scattered T-Storms

Bell sends: How do we characterize United States Forces, Korea?

At our recent Senior Leader “On-Site Conference,” we had an opportunity to discuss the qualities that characterize the United States Forces Korea Command, and the Servicemembers, Civilians and Family Members that make up our organization. We described several statements (Overarching Messages) that describe USFK in a strategic sense. The messages are timeless reminders of why we serve in Korea. We also described “Public Messages,” which are those messages most important to people and audiences outside of the USFK. Furthermore, we described “Command Messages” which are those that leaders should communicate to people inside USFK-- our Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen, Marines, Civilian Employees,

Contractors and their spouses and children. We believe that all these messages would be useful if promulgated among our personnel and with our various audiences on the Korean peninsula. As such, I provide all these messages in this “Bell Sends” for your information and use as appropriate in your activities as a leader and member of USFK.

Overarching Messages

- Peace and stability are essential to both ROK and U.S. national interests
- For Over 50 years, the ROK-U.S. Alliance has been the guarantor of peace, stability, and regional economic growth.
- The ROK-U.S. Alliance is more

than military; it is a comprehensive partnership that promotes freedom, prosperity and democracy in this region and the world.

Public Messages

- An enduring and healthy ROK-U.S. Security Alliance is important to the United States.
- USFK is a steadfast partner with the ROK military as guardians of the Korean Democracy. We will fight alongside our ally to defend this nation.
- We will remain in Korea as a reliable ally as long as we are welcome and wanted.
- The U.S. is confident in the capability of the ROK military, and positively supports the ROK government's desire for indepen-

dent wartime command.

- The U.S. is, and has always been, a good and considerate steward of the Korean land on which we serve

Command Messages

- All Service and Family Members are Ambassadors for America
- Tactical actions by our personnel can and have a strategic impact
- We are striving to transform USFK to a “normal” 3-year accompanied tour with families
- Families enable USFK to more successfully accomplish our mission


**General, U.S. Army
Commander**

Voting information

How to vote while stationed here

People interested in voting must be registered to vote and must request an absentee ballot.

Requesting absentee ballots

To register to vote and request an absentee ballot, a Standard Form 76, Federal Post Card Application, must be filled out and submitted to the proper election official in the voters registered state. There are two ways to get a FPCA. unit voting assistance officers will be contacting everyone shortly to hand out cardstock FPCAs and there is an online PDF version available at <http://www.fvap.gov/pubs/onlinefpc.html>.

Sending them in

Unit voting assistance officers are available to help voters determine specific state and territory requirements for the FPCAs. Or the requirements can be found online at <http://www.fvap.gov/pubs/vag.html>. Unit voting assistance officers are also available to help determine state of residence and getting the address to send the FPCAs to. The address can also be found in the voting assistance guide at the above internet address.

Unit Voting Assistant Officers

To find out more information, contact either of the below UVAOs Maj. Jennifer Kramme, phone number 782-4283. Maj. Lucy Lim, phone number 782-1195.

Wolf Pack CHAPLAINS

“Promoting Wolf Pack spiritual fitness through worship, presence and care.”

Contact information

Your chaplains can be reached at 782-4300.

If you have an emergency and need to contact a chaplain after duty hours, contact the command post at 782-6000.

More information

For services schedules and other activities, view the Chaplains Channel, channel 20, visit their Web page on the intranet, or check out Page 7 of the Wolf Pack Warrior.



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8th Operations Group



**Chaplain (Capt.)
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8th Mission Support Group



**Chaplain (Capt.)
Christian Williams**
8th Maintenance Group



8th Fighter Wing photo


COMMANDER'S ACTION LINE

The Action Line is a direct line to me. Call 782-2004 and include your name, telephone number and a brief description of your problem. You can also send an e-mail to 8FW/CCActionLine.

PHONE NUMBERS TO USE

AAFES Customer Service	782-4426
Area Defense Council	782-4848
Base Exchange	782-4520
CES Customer Service	782-5318
Chapel	782-4300
Civilian Personnel Office	782-4570
Commissary Manager	782-4144
Dining Hall	782-5160
Education Office	782-5148
Fitness Center	782-4026
Golf Course	782-5435
Housing Office	782-4088
IDEA Office	782-4020
Inspector General	782-4850
Law Enforcement Desk	782-4944
Legal Assistance	782-4283
Medical Patient Advocate	782-4014
Military Equal Opportunity	782-4055
Military Pay	782-5574
Military Personnel Flight	782-5276
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OSI	782-4522
Public Affairs	782-4705
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'Defend the Base,
Accept Follow-on Forces,
Take the Fight North'

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HOW TO REACH US: People with questions, comments, suggestions or submissions can contact the public affairs office at: 8th FW/PA, PSC 2, Box 2090, APO AP 96264-2090. We can also be reached by phone at 782-4705, by e-mail at 8FW/PA, WolfPack@kunsan.af.mil, or by fax at 782-7568.

New guidance released on air travel

The U.S. threat level is raised to Severe, or Red, for all commercial flights flying from the United Kingdom to the U.S.

The U.S. threat level is raised to High, or Orange for all commercial aviation operating in the U.S., including international flights.

The Transportation Security Administration will be implementing a series of security measures to ensure the security of the traveling public and the Nation's transportation system. TSA is immediately implemented the following changes to airport screening procedures:

No liquids or gels of any kind will be permitted in carry on baggage. Such items must be in checked baggage. This includes all beverages, shampoo, sun tan lotion, lotions and creams, tooth paste, hair gel, shaving lotions or any other items of similar consistency.

Exception: Baby formula, breast milk, or juice if a baby or small child is traveling; prescription medicine with a name that matches the passenger's ticket; and insulin and essential other non-prescription medicines, which all must be presented for inspection at the checkpoint.

Beverages purchased in the boarding area (beyond the checkpoint) must be consumed before boarding because they will not be permitted on board the aircraft.

People traveling from the U.K. to the U.S. will be subject to a more extensive screening process.

(Information provided by the Department of Homeland Security.)



(Left) Col. Jeff Lofgren, 8th Fighter Wing Commander, shows Gunsan City Mayor Dong Shin Moon through a hardened aircraft shelter Aug. 11 during the mayor's base tour. (Above) The mayor and colonel sign a memorandum of understanding outlining how the Korean and American Friendship Council is managed. It's a non-profit civilian exchange program between key opinion leaders here.

Gunsan City mayor visits Wolf Pack

By Staff Sgt. Nathan Gallahan
Wolf Pack Public Affairs

Kunsan City Mayor Dong Shin Moon toured here Aug. 11 as part of on-going programs to improve the already strong relationship between the base and local community.

8th Fighter Wing Commander Col. Jeff Lofgren took the newly elected mayor to sites across Kunsan, including Big Coyote Hill, the flight line, fitness center and community activities center. The mayor also attended an F-16 mission employment brief, given in Hongul by 1st Lt. Steve Shallenberger, 35th Fighter Squadron.

"Visits such as this are critical to forming strong international relationships with the local community leaders," Col. Lofgren said. "It gave us a great opportunity to showcase our Airmen, mission and readiness."

The visit is one part of a larger program aimed at improving relations with the local community. Dur-

ing a recent interview with the mayor, he talked through an interpreter about the importance of a strong bond between the U.S. military and local communities.

"I believe that the relationship between our two countries is very important, not only for the military alliance but for the economy," the mayor who was elected approximately a month ago said. "There have been a lot of changes in the countries around South Korea that have impacted our country and I appreciate the mutual friendship our two countries [U.S. and South Korea] share."

To strengthen the bond, both leaders agree that it will take a combined Wolf Pack and Kunsan City effort to improve the relationship.

"We need to work on educating both sides, so the base personnel aren't afraid to go out to the city," the mayor said.

One way Airmen can take the initiative to learn is by signing up for the next cultural tour by Aug. 22. The tour offers Airmen the chance

to see sites across Jeon Ju City. Other opportunities such as teaching English to school children, Habitat for Humanity and volunteering to help Little Sisters of the Poor are available as well.

"We're looking to increase our presence in the local community and it is a priority of mine to get the Wolf Pack out and about town learning the South Korean culture and getting to know the great people who live here," the Wolf said.

"I really appreciated the military personnel who volunteered on the weekends and I hope to see them in the local schools again," the mayor said. "I want some way for the city to understand the U.S. personnel here and how nice they are so when the Wolf Pack goes out to the city, the citizens will be pleased and welcoming to the U.S. military people."

For more information on the cultural tour and different programs to help the local community, contact Rosemary Song, community relations director at 782-5194.

Cultural Corner

Did you know?

The Confucian social order is a concept that has long influenced Korean behavior. The importance of the Confucian social order in Korea can be observed especially on New Year's Day when family members bow to grandparents, parents, older brothers, relatives and so on in accordance with age. Young people may even seek out the village elders to pay their due respect by bowing to them, even though they are not related. At meetings and social gatherings, social order is often a factor that influences interaction such as: who should sit where, who should sit down first and who should pour wine for whom first. Among close friends, those born earlier are treated as elder brothers and sisters. When talking with acquaintances that are not considered close friends or family, one is expected to use courtesy titles to be polite and show respect.



Confucius

This information is courtesy of the Korean Overseas Information Service.

PRIDE OF THE PACK

Staff Sgt. Tonya Quash
Unit: 80th Fighter Squadron
Duties: Assistance NCOIC, Squadron Aviation Resource Management
Hometown: Newport News, Va.
Hobbies: Shopping and traveling
Favorite music: Gospel and Old School R&B
Follow-on: Yokota AB, Japan
Last good movie: "Madea's Family Reunion"
Best thing you've done here: "I've rededicated my life to Christ."

"Sergeant Quash recently received PACAF IG praise for her benchmark SORTS process, which was successfully added to the latest version of the Wing supplement. As a meticulous COMSEC monitor, she maintained her program with 100% accountability of over 1500 products and was lauded by inspectors during the 2006 UCI.

She sets the example with pride every day in her immaculate dress and decorum, as well as fitness and professional development.

She is an active member with the base chapel. Her work there promotes Wolf Pack pride and morale through cooking meals and hosting movie nights for dorm residents."

— Lt. Col. Van Wimmer Jr.
80th Fighter Squadron commander



Photos by Senior Airman Barry Loo

Airman 1st Class Nathan Genteman, 8th Maintenance Squadron, cheers for team USA during a basketball game in Seoul, South Korea, Aug. 13. Team USA defeated the Lithuanians 104-90. The game was a part of the "World Basketball Challenge 2006" and was played in the Jamsil Indoor Stadium, Seoul, South Korea.

Team USA cheered on

Team USA player Dwight Howard leaps for a shot during the game. Approximately 180 Wolf Pack Airmen attended two games Team USA played in Korea. The first game pitted Team USA against Lithuania Sunday and they played South Korea Tuesday. U.S. military from across the peninsula were invited to attend the two games for free or at discounted prices.



Team USA player Dwayne Wade leaps for a shot during the game.

2006 & 2007 WOLF PACK INTRAMURAL SPORTS SCHEDULE

Dates subject to change

Intramural Event	Letter of Intent Distribution Date	LOI Due Date	Coaches Meeting	Pre-Season	Regular Season	End of Season
Racquetball	Jan. 2	Jan. 12	Jan. 17	N/A	Jan. 22	April 12
Volleyball	Feb. 5	Feb. 16	Feb. 21	Feb. 26	March 5	June 1
Golf	April 9	April 20	April 25	N/A	May 1	Aug. 2
Dodgeball	April 16	April 27	May 2	N/A	May 7	Aug. 3
Softball	May 1	May 11	May 16	May 21	June 4	Sept. 12
Bowling	June 11	June 22	June 27	N/A	July 6	Oct. 4, 2007
Flag Football	Past	Past	Aug. 24	Aug. 28	Sept. 11	Nov. 16
Basketball	Oct. 2	Oct. 13	Oct. 18	Oct. 23	Nov. 6	Feb. 1

THE SPORTS BAR

As of Wednesday

Intramural Softball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Teams	W	L
Vipers	7	0
Ammo A Team	6	2
Red Devil Rejects	6	2
Warriors	5	3
POL	6	4
Defenders	6	5
MXS Fabrications	3	5
186 EFS Team One	3	3
Fuel Shop	3	8
Delta Shocker	2	8
Egress	2	7

Game results

Monday

Egress vs. Warriors	13 - 17
EFS #1 vs. Delta Shockers	Forfeit
Vipers vs. Defenders	11 - 1
POL vs. Fuel Shop	17 - 0

Upcoming games

Monday

5:30 p.m. — MXS Fab vs. Delta Shockers
6:30 p.m. — Defenders vs. Warriors
7:30 p.m. — Egress vs. Ammo
8:30 p.m. — EFS #1 vs. Red Devil Rejects

Wednesday

5:30 p.m. — POL vs. Red Devil Rejects
6:30 p.m. — Egress vs. EFS #1
7:30 p.m. — Vipers vs. Ammo
8:30 p.m. — Fuel Shop vs. Delta Shockers

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Teams	W	L
Cobras	9	0
LRS Team One	10	1
Knights	10	2
COMM	7	1
MXS AGE	8	5
Med Dawgs	5	6
SVS	5	7
Ammo B Team	5	6
EFS Team Two	2	6
Devil Dogs	2	9
MXS Maintenance	1	8

Game results

Thursday (Aug. 3)

Devil Dogs vs. Cobras	5 - 8
Ammo B vs. MDG	6 - 4
SVS vs. Knights	4 - 14
LRS vs. MXS AGE	21 - 9

Upcoming games

Tuesday

5:30 p.m. — Comm vs. Cobras
6:30 p.m. — EFS #2 vs. MDG
7:30 p.m. — Devil Dogs vs. Knights
8:30 p.m. — Ammo B vs. SVS

Sports and Fitness Briefs

Upcomming Events Strongman Competition

The fitness center will host a strongman competition Aug. 26, people need to sign up by Thursday.

August Aerobics

Step Aerobics

Mondays at 5:30 a.m., Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m., Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. and Fridays at 5:30 p.m.

Abs Aerobics

Mondays at 6:15 a.m., Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m., and Sundays at 5 p.m.

Spin Aerobics

Mondays at 6:45 p.m., Tuesdays at 6 a.m. and 6:45 p.m., Wednesdays at 6 a.m., Thursdays at 6 a.m. and 6:30 p.m., Fridays at 6 a.m., Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. and Sundays at 4 p.m.

(Information provided by the fitness center)

TODAY

Free Bowling: Squadrons bowl for free at the Yellow Sea Bowling Center between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. Advanced registration required.

Personal Financial Management Briefing: The Kunsan Airman and Family Readiness Center offers a PFMP briefing for E-4 and below attending Newcomers Orientation. The briefing is held in Building 755, Room 215 from 3 to 4 p.m. No registration required. For more information, call 782-5644.

SATURDAY

Paintball: Outdoor Recreation sponsors paintball beginning at 10 a.m. at Wolf Pack Park.

No Tap Tournament: The Yellow Sea Bowling Center will host a no-tap tournament at 7 p.m. \$15 entry fee.

Music request night: The community center's music request night runs from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m.

SUNDAY

Jazz night: The Falcon Community Center rolls out Jazz beginning at 8 p.m.

Red Pin Bowling: Red Pin Bowling is available at the Yellow Sea Bowling Center between 11 a.m. and 11 p.m. Each game costs 75 cents.

MONDAY

Guitar Lessons: "JR" Songmuang is offering free guitar lessons every Monday and Wednesday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Community Activities Center Music Room. For more information call 782-4619 or 782-4110.

Nifty-fifty night: The Yellow Sea Bowling Center offers nifty-fifty night.

TUESDAY

Airmen bowl for free: Airmen bowl for free at the Yellow Sea Bowling Center starting at 6:30 p.m.

CHAPEL SERVICES

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Daily Mass — 11:30 a.m. Monday through Thursday

Weekend Mass — 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sundays

Reconciliation — Weekdays by appointment and 8 a.m. Sunday

R.C.I.A. classes — 7 p.m. Wednesday, chapel conference room

PROTESTANT SERVICES

Traditional worship — 11 a.m. Sunday

Gospel service — 1 p.m. Sunday

Contemporary praise and worship — 6 p.m. Sunday

Inspirational praise and worship service — 7 p.m. Friday

LATTER-DAY SAINTS SERVICE

Weekly service — 3:30 p.m. Sunday

CHURCH OF CHRIST SERVICE

Weekly service — 1 p.m. Sunday, Sonlight Inn

SONLIGHT INN HOURS

6 to 10 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, 6 p.m. to midnight Friday, 5:30 p.m. to midnight Saturday and holidays

FOR SALE

All books and media for Speech Class 101 \$70.00

19" Color CRT Computer Monitor \$70.00 OBO

Contact Tech. Sgt Robert Entinger 782 4122

Or stop by Dorm 1431 Room 408

WEDNESDAY

Return and Reunion Briefing: The Kunsan Airman and Family Readiness Center holds this briefing every Wednesdays at 3 p.m. at the Gym, 2nd floor, HAWC Classroom. The briefing addresses the challenges of family reunion faced by single and married personnel. This is a mandatory briefing for those who are PCSing. No registration required.

Karaoke night: The Falcon Community Center's karaoke night runs from 8 p.m. until midnight.

THURSDAY

Chess Tournament: There will be a chess tournament at the community center at 7 p.m.

Korean Orphanage: Wolf Pack members interested in volunteering at the local Kae Chong Orphanage should meet in the Military Personnel Flight parking lot at 6:15 p.m. Sign up in advance due to limited seating. Registration required, call 782-3772 or 782-5644 or e-mail Barbara Mongar at Barbara.Mongar@kunsan.af.mil

UP 'N' COMING

Air Force Ball: Osan Air Base will host an Air Force Ball Sept. 15. The theme for the night will be "Yesterday's Heroes, Today's Leaders, Tomorrow's Inspiration." A cocktail reception will start at 6 p.m. and the event is schedule to last until 11 p.m. Tickets will cost: Officers, GS12 and above, \$25, E 7-9 and GS 9-11, \$23, and E 6 and GS 9 and below, \$20. For information contact your squadron POC.

Death for Dinner: A play featuring Richard Beall, Anita Boland, Kayti Grant, Ben Langton, Michael Mendez and Juli Redson-Smith Sunday at the Loring Club.

Squadron Feud: Hosted by "Ray Ray Dawson." Two-day single elimination tournament Aug. 27, 28 at 7 p.m. Sign up your five-man team by Aug. 26. Up to three teams per squadron authorized. Winning teams recieve a check for squadron unit advisory councils. 1st Place: \$400; 2nd Place: \$250; 3rd Place: \$100.

For more information, or to sign up as a volunteer game typist or DJ, contact Staff Sgt. Andre Ogilvie or call 782-4619, 4110 or 5210.

To submit events for 7-Days, send an e-mail to WolfPack@kunsan.af.mil. Submissions are due by noon Thursday one week prior to publication and must include time, date and location of the event and the contact's daytime phone number. For more information, call 782-4705.

Let 'em know with ...

A Hometown News Release

Just get promoted? Received an award or decoration? Getting ready to PCS? Let your hometown know with a Hometown News Release. How do you get one? Call Public Affairs at 782-4705 for details.

AT THE MOVIES

"THE FAST AND THE FURIOUS: TOKYO DRIFT"

Rating: PG-13 for illegal teen behavior, violence, language and sexual content.

Starring: Lucas Black, Shad 'Bow Wow,' and Gregory Moss

Synopsis: Sean is a street racer. Although racing provides him an escape from an unhappy home, it has made him unpopular with the local authorities. To avoid jail time, Sean is sent to Tokyo to live with his father, a career military man.

Show time: 7 p.m. today

"SUPERMAN RETURNS"

Rating: PG-13 for action violence.

Starring: Brandon Routh and Kate Bosworth

Synopsis: Superman, comes back to Earth--but things have changed. While an old enemy plots against him, Superman faces the heartbreaking realization that the woman he loves, Lois Lane, has moved on with her life.

Show time: 9 p.m. today

"GARFIELD: A TALE OF TWO KITTIES"

Rating: PG for off-color elements.

Starring: Bill Murray and Jeniffer Hewitt

Synopsis: When Garfield follows his owner, to England, the U.K. may never recover, as Garfield is mistaken for a look-alike who has inherited a castle.

Show time: 7 p.m. Saturday

"YOU, ME & DUPREE"

Rating: PG-13 for sexual content, nudity, crude humor, language and drug reference.

Starring: Owen Wilson and Kate Hudson

Synopsis: Carl and Molly Peterson are just starting their new life together. But there's an unfortunate hitch, and his name's Randy. He's a perpetual bachelor and has found himself with nowhere to go after being fired.

Show time: 9:30 p.m. Saturday and 6 p.m. Sunday

"NACHO LIBRE"

Rating: PG for rough action and crude humor.

Starring: Jack Black and Hector Jimenez

Synopsis: Nacho cares deeply for the orphans he feeds, but his food is terrible. He realizes he must hatch a plan to make money to buy better food for them and impress Sister Encarnacion. When he decides to earn money as a Lucha Libre wrestler, he finds a hidden talent.

Show time: 10:30 p.m. Sunday

(Movie dates and times are subject to change)

WOLF PACK WHEELS SCHEDULE

Kunsan AB to E-Mart shuttle
Tickets are \$5 (departs from community center)

Weekends 10 a.m., noon, 2, 4 and 6 p.m.

E-Mart to Kunsan AB shuttle
Tickets are \$5 (departs from in front of store)

Weekends 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5 and 6:30 p.m.

Kunsan AB to Osan shuttle
One-way for \$12.50 or \$11.50 and round trip for \$25 or \$23. Discount is for Airman morale program members (departs from community center)

Monday to Thursday 7:30 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Friday 7:30 a.m., 1 and 6 p.m.

Saturday 7:30 and 10 a.m.

Sunday 7:30 a.m. and noon

Osan to Kunsan AB shuttle
One-way for \$12.50 or \$11.50 and round trip for \$25 or \$23. Discount is for Airman morale program members (departs from Checkertails Cafe)

Monday to Thursday noon and 6 p.m.

Friday noon and 10 p.m.

Saturday noon and 4 p.m.

Sunday noon and 5 p.m.

Kunsan AB to Kunsan city shuttle
One-way is \$3 and round trips for \$5 (departs from community center)

Friday and Saturday 7 and 8 p.m.

Kunsan city to Kunsan AB shuttle
One-way is \$3 and round trips for \$5 (departs from Kentucky Fried Chicken)

Friday and Saturday 11 p.m. and midnight

Kunsan AB to Incheon Airport shuttle
\$27.50 or \$25 for Airman morale program members (departs from community center)

Available daily 3:30 a.m., 2 and 6:30 p.m.

Incheon Airport to Kunsan AB shuttle
\$27.50 or \$25 for Airman morale program members (departs from gale 11)

Available daily 8:30 a.m., 7:30 and 11:30 p.m.

For details on transportation, call the Falcon Community Center at 782-4619

Staff Sgt. Tim Weiser, water plant NCOIC, turns the release valve on the water clarifier. Some water is drained off daily to help remove sediments from the bottom of the tank. Along with this precaution, the tanks are completely drained and cleaned every six months.



Water on tap

Airmen ensure tap water completely safe

By Staff Sgt. Nathan Gallahan
Wolf Pack Public Affairs

Anonymous Airmen polled on what they thought about the water quality here said the water was brown and that it was “disgusting.”

“The facts are clear; the water is completely safe to drink. It’s safer than bottled water,” said Master Sgt. Douglas Mitchell, NCOIC of utilities, 8th Civil Engineer Squadron. “I’ve heard some people say the water is brown here, and sometimes it is after maintenance to the water pipes.”

The brown water is a result of the pipes rusting over the years, and that rust settling into the low areas. When maintainers go to work on the pipes and shut the water down for a time, and when the water is turned back on it upsets the sediment.

“If people would run their water for a short period after they notice it’s brown, it will go away in a few minutes,” said Staff Sgt. Tim Wieser, NCOIC of water plant operations, 8th CES. “Even if they drank the brown water, it’s still safe.”

The two sergeants both mentioned there is a difference between palatable and potable. Palatable being whether someone thinks the water tastes good or not, and potable, which means the water is safe for human consumption.

After a random sergeant briefly heard the difference, he said, “So the water is like lima beans, they taste gross, but they’re good for you.”

“The problem with the taste is everyone thinks they can drink the water out of the tap and it will taste great,” Sergeant Wieser said. “At that point the water is warm, if they would just chill it, it would be fine.”

Because of the misconceptions floating around about tap water, many choose to drink bottled water, but it may not be that easy.

“People have the mindset that if it doesn’t come from a bottle, it isn’t safe,” Master Sgt. Mitchell said. “With the strict regulations



Senior Airman Mark Tigbao samples water from a water clarifier, which is the second stage of water purification and separates suspended particles from the water. After this stage it runs into more sedimentation tanks to take out smaller particles.

water plants are held to, I would much rather drink from the faucet. Bottled water is only held to the ‘beverage standard,’ which isn’t as strict as the regulations we abide by.”

The water plant Airmen aren’t the only ones who keep a close eye on the quality of the water. The 8th Medical Group Bioenvironmental Engineering flight also tests the water to guarantee it’s safe.

“We independently and systematically verify the safety of the water on a weekly basis,” Maj. Don Johnston, bioenvironmental engineering flight commander said.

The bioenvironmental engineers follow the same strict Environmental Protection Agency regulations as every military base, city or town in the United States.

Maj. Johnston said, “Since I’ve been here all the tests have been negative for any contamination and our annual drinking water quality report shows the same results going back through 2005.”

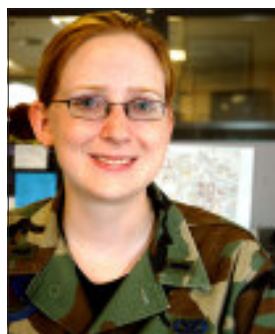
The truth is in the eye of the beholder, but behind the eyes is a brain and after some thinking, the water is just fine.



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Senior Airman Mark Tigbao, water plant operator, 8th Civil Engineer Squadron, checks the chlorine level in a water sample Wednesday.

IN THE TRENCHES ... What is your favorite activity here?



**1st Lt.
Stephanie Hasser**
“Riding my bike.”



**Master Sgt.
Matthew Moore**
“Playing golf.”



**Tech. Sgt.
Erica Daniels**
“Going to the movies.”



**Staff Sgt.
Joe Horton**
“Meeting new people.”



**Senior Airman
Keenan Watson**
“Winning the national championship on my NCAA vidoe game.”